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Applicant claims small entity status.	139 130 139 130 Non-English specification	
See 37 CFR 1.27	147 2,520 147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
2.	112 920* 112 920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
FEE CALCULATION	113 1,840* 113 1,840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1. BASIC FILING FEE	115 110 215 55 Extension for reply within first month	
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SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 370.00	140 110 240 55 Petition to revive - unavoidable	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES	141 1,280 241 640 Petition to revive - unintentional	
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Total Claims 6 -20** = 0 X =	143 460 243 230 Design issue fee	
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Code (\$) Code (\$) 103 18 203 9 Claims in excess of 20	581 40 581 40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
102 84 202 42 Independent claims in excess of 3	146 740 246 370 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
104 280 204 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid  109 84 209 42 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	149 740 249 370 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
110 18 210 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20	179 740 279 370 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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